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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

Please reconsider the proposed \$1.00 charge to all wireless phones. I use my wireless phone only for emergency and TracFone service is perfect for anyone who wants to have the security of being able to make a call when faced with potential danger or even to seek road side assistance. I believe the current policy should be left alone. Please do not add additional charges to me as I truly believe this is unfair to those ladies who use their phones "ONLY FOR EMERGENCIES". I BELIEVE THOSE WHO CAN'T SEEM TO DRIVE DOWN THE ROAD WITHOUT TALKING ON THE PHONE AND ENDANGERING THOSE AROUND THEM SHOULD BE THE ONES TO PAY THE PENALTY FOR USE OF THE WIRELESS PHONES. THEY ARE TRULY A DANGER TO THOSE OF US WHO KEEP OUR MINDS ON THE BUSINESS OF DRIVING AND NOT EXCESSIVE CHATTER THAT COULD WAIT UNTIL THEY ARE SAFE INSIDE THEIR HOMES. I TALK ON THE PHONE ALL DAY AT WORK AND I CERTAINLY DO NOT FEEL THE NEED TO DO IT DRIVING DOWN THE ROAD.....PLEASE RECONSIDER AND PENALIZE THOSE WHO ACTUALLY USE SERVICE ON A DAILY BASIS.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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